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REMARKS

In the Office Action the Examiner asserts that three (3) patentably distinct species of the claims invention; namely, three embodiments.

Applicant hereby elects without traverse to proceed with prosecuting the Group II claims (i.e., claims 22-39) directed to adjusting a stimulation rate based on a high frequency (HF) signal, per the claim listing hereinbelow adjusting a stimulation rate based on a high frequency signal (HF), without traverse.

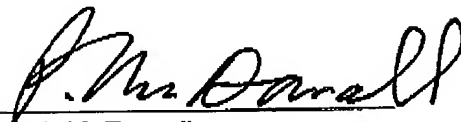
Applicant herewith cancels claims 1.-21. and 40.-41. without disclaimer or prejudice to the subject matter thereof and respectfully requests that the Examiner enter this Response and election and the minor amendment to claim 24 (which was somehow inadvertently directed to a magnetic signal but appears in the Group II claims directed to a HF signal).

Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned attorney to attend to these matters.

Respectfully submitted,

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